

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 612

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Morgan Hope Smith,
2009 Top Ten Graduate of Milan High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Morgan Hope Smith is one such exceptional student who was recently ranked in the Top Ten of the 2009 graduating class at Milan High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Morgan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Morgan has earned an exemplary 96.4538 grade point average while participating in a number of scholastic and civic organizations, including Drama Club, Chorus, Dawgs of Determination, FTA, Crown Club, Beta Club, Math Club, French Club, HOSA, and FCCLA; and

WHEREAS, she was also a valued member of the Yearbook staff and Fire Patrol in addition to serving as a tutor and as a DARE Role Model; and

WHEREAS, her estimable leadership skills enabled her to serve her fellow students as SGA secretary, student council representative, captain of the cheerleading team, and as a member of Gibson County Youth Leadership; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Ms. Smith was named a Distinguished Scholar; and

WHEREAS, Morgan Smith's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Union University where she plans to major in nursing; and

WHEREAS, Morgan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Roger and Traci Smith, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2009 Milan High School Top Ten Graduate, Morgan Hope Smith, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.